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SUPERFUND REMEDIAL

Date	Project/Item	
❖ COMMUNITY RELATIONS PLANS/REVISIONS <i>(interviews/wrote/reviewed/updated)</i>		
February	California Gulch: Update community involvement plan	Interviewed/wrote
❖ PUBLIC MEETINGS/HEARINGS /STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS (arranged/attended/participated/facilitated) <i>[formal, informal, small groups, etc. – does not include CAGs and TAGs listed in separate categories]</i>		
1/6/11	Lowry Landfill: meeting with stakeholders.	Arranged, facilitated
1/6/11 and 1/26/11	Marshall Landfill: conducted site tours for five-year review	Arranged facilitated
1/2011	Captain Jack outreach for potential relocation of a resident	Arranged
March	California Gulch: Lake County Open Space Group meeting	Presented
March	Central City/Clear Creek: North Clear Creek Advisory Committee Meeting	Participated
March	Central City/Clear Creek Board meeting	Participated
January	Libby Asbestos: Conference call with congressional staff	Participated
2/8/11	Libby Asbestos: Healthy Communities Initiative – Risk Assess. Pres.	Arranged/Facilitated
2/8/11	Libby Asbestos: Libby City Council – Risk Assess. Presentation	Arranged/Participated
2/9/11	Libby Asbestos: O&M Meeting – Risk Assessment Presentation	Participated
2/9/11	Libby Asbestos: St. Johns Hospital Staff – Risk Assessment Pres.	Arranged/Facilitated
2/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Public Mtg. – Morning Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated

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2/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Libby Chamber of Commerce – Risk Assess. Pres.	Arranged/facilitated
2/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Public Mtg. – Afternoon Risk Assess. Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
2/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Public Mtg. – Evening Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
2/10/11	Libby Asbestos: Public Mtg. – Morning Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
2/10/11	Libby Asbestos: Public Mtg. – Afternoon Risk Assess. Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
3/7/11	Libby Asbestos: Rotary Club – Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
3/7/11	Libby Asbestos: USFS – Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
3/7/11	Libby Asbestos: Public Mtg. – Evening Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
3/8/11	Libby Asbestos: Healthy Communities Initiative	Participated
3/8/11	Libby Asbestos: Search and Rescue, Libby Ambulatory and Libby Fire Department – Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
3/8/11	Libby Asbestos: Libby City Library – Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/facilitated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Libby City Council Breakfast	Participated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: O&M Meeting	Participated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Lincoln County Commissioners	Participated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Libby Chamber of Commerce	Participated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Lincoln County Health Board – Risk Assess. Pres.	Arranged/participated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Libby Health and Human Services – Risk Pres.	Arranged/participated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Plum Creek Logging – Risk Assessment Presentation	Arranged/participated
3/9/11	Libby Asbestos: Public Mtg. – Afternoon Risk Assessment. Presentation	Arranged/participated
March	Eureka Mills: Proposed plan public meeting	Planned/participated
March	California Gulch: Lake County Open Space Initiative	Presented, participated

❖ FACT SHEETS/PROPOSED PLANS (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
January	Libby Asbestos Best management Practices (BMP) fact sheet – Contractors work indoors	Updated
January	Libby Asbestos BMP fact sheet – Contractors working outdoors	Updated
January	Libby Asbestos BMP fact sheet – Demolition Activities	Updated
January	Libby Asbestos BMP fact sheet – Libby and Troy Residents	Updated
January	Libby Asbestos BMP fact sheet – Do-it-Yourselfers	Updated
January	Libby Asbestos BMP fact sheet – Yard Work and Gardening Activities	Wrote
January	VB/I-70 Proposed plan for OU2	Wrote/reviewed
	Eureka Mills Proposed plan for OU4	Reviewed/coordinated mailing
February	Gilt Edge: Settlement Agreement Fact Sheet	Wrote, reviewed
February	Gilt Edge: Explanation of Significant Differences Fact sheet for OU 1	Wrote/reviewed
March	U.S Magnesium: Fact sheet on RI/FS	Wrote, reviewed

❖ PRESS RELEASES/PUBLIC NOTICES (wrote/reviewed)		
1/7/11	Libby Asbestos Libby Monthly Meeting ad	Reviewed
1/21/11	Libby Asbestos Libby Risk Assessment Presentation Public Notice	Wrote
2/4/11	Libby Asbestos Libby Monthly Meeting ad	Reviewed
2/23/11	Libby Asbestos Libby Risk Assessment Presentation Public Notice	Wrote
3/1/11	Libby Asbestos Libby Monthly Meeting advertisement	Reviewed
3/16/11	Libby Asbestos Libby Q&A advertisement	Wrote/reviewed
3/23/11	Libby Asbestos Libby Q&A ad	Wrote/reviewed
February	Ogden Rail Yard Five Year Review Public Notice	Wrote
March	Eureka Mills: Public Notice for proposed plan comment period and public meeting	Wrote/arranged

❖ PRESS CONFERENCES/INTERVIEWS (arranged/attended/participated)		

❖ MEDIA CONTACTS (participated/responded)		
March	U.S. Magnesium: Responded to questions from Andrea Walker from the Baltimore Sun regarding site activities	Responded
March	Libby Asbestos: Telephone interviews and email exchanges with Matt, Brown, AP	Participated/arranged

❖ COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
February-March	Libby Asbestos: Toxicity Values communication strategy	Wrote/reviewed
February-March	Libby Asbestos: Toxicity Values Early Release communication strategy	Wrote/reviewed
February-March	Libby Asbestos: 2011 Cleanup activities Communication Strategy	Wrote/reviewed
February	U.S. Magnesium: Updated community outreach activities matrix	Updated

❖ COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUPS (CAGs)		
(1) New Site & Date Started		
(2) Disbanded Site & Date Disbanded		
(3) CAG Meetings Attended		
2/10/11	Libby Asbestos: CAG– Risk Assessment Presentation	Attended/ presented
3/10/11	Libby Asbestos: CAG Risk Assessment Presentation	
March	Lincoln Park/Cotter Mill: CAG	Attended
❖ TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUPS (TAGs)		
(1) New Site & Date Started		
(2) Disbanded Site & Date Disbanded		
(3) TAG Meetings Attended		
2/8/11	Libby Asbestos TAG	Attended/presented
3/8/11		

❖ TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANTS		
Technical Assistance Grant Recipients		
	Captain Jack Mill: Lefthand Creek Technical Advisory Group Coalition	Ongoing
	Eagle Mine: ERWC Eagle Mine Ltd.	Ongoing
	Midvale/Sharon Steel: Citizens for a Safe Future	Ongoing
	Standard Mine: Standard Mine Technical Advisory Group	Ongoing
	Lowry Landfill: Citizens for Lowry Landfill Environmental Action Now	Ongoing
	Libby Asbestos: Libby Area Technical Assistance Group	Ongoing

❖ OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES (not already reported)		
February	Captain Jack Mine Priority Panel Presentation	Arranged/participated
February	Bountiful Wood Cross: Update site access agreements	Arranged/participated
January-March	Libby Asbestos RA and Carol Campbell Libby Briefings (weekly)	Participated
1/10-12/2011	Libby Asbestos: Team Retreat and Planning Meeting	Participated
January	Libby Asbestos: Response to IG's Investigation	Coordinated
Feb/March	Libby Asbestos: George Weber Environmental Inc. review of contract and participation in planning meetings	Reviewed/Participated
February	VB/I70: Responded to numerous inquiries from residents.	Responded
March	Eureka Mills: Outline for site video	Wrote
February	California Gulch: Conduct interviews for five-year review	Interviewed
January	Richardson Flats: Meetings with Carol Campbell and senior management to respond to Park City officials regarding Lower Silver Creek site	Participated
February	Ogden Rail yard: Conduct community interviews for five-year review	Interviewed

REMOVAL/EMERGENCY RESPONSE

❖ COMMUNITY RELATIONS PLANS/REVISIONS (wrote/reviewed/updated)		

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❖ FACT SHEETS/PROPOSED PLANS (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
February	Wolf Creek Gas Spill: Fact Sheet	Wrote

❖ PRESS RELEASES/PUBLIC NOTICES (wrote/reviewed)		
March	Paonia Mercury Spill public notice	Wrote/published
January	Argentine St Louis Tunnel Removal Action public notice	Wrote/reviewed
January	80th Avenue Tank Farm Removal Action: public notice	Wrote/published

❖ PRESS RELEASES/PUBLIC NOTICES (wrote/reviewed)		
January-February	Rifle French Drain removal action: public notice	Wrote/published
March	Terrible Mine: Press Release	Wrote/published

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❖ MEDIA CONTACTS (participated/responded)		

❖ COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
February	Wolf Creek Gas Spill communication strategy	Wrote

❖ OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES (not already reported)		
March	Blende Smelter: Provide sampling results to homeowners	

SITE ASSESSMENT

❖ COMMUNITY RELATIONS PLANS/REVISIONS (wrote/reviewed/updated)		

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March	Pavillion: Long term water scoping meeting	Participated
March	Pennsylvania Mine: Snake River Task Force Work Group	Arranged/ attended, took notes
March	ATK/Faust Valley: Public input session	Arranged, attended, follow-ups

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❖ MEDIA CONTACTS (participated/responded)		

❖ COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
March	Pavillion: Strategy on next steps	Wrote/ reviewed
March	Pavillion: Strategy on sampling monitoring wells and domestic wells	Wrote/ reviewed
February	ATK/Faust Valley: Revise communication strategy to address RCRA and Clean Air Act issues	Updated
March	Pennsylvania Mine: Addendum and Q&As	Updated

❖ OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES (not already reported)		
March	Pavillion: Briefing materials for Carol Campbell	Coordinated/ attended
January-March	ATK/Faust Valley: multiple phone email and phones responses to citizen concerns	Participated
January-March	ATK/Faust Valley: Developed cross program summary and responses to citizen concerns	Wrote/coordinated

NON-SUPERFUND

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❖ MEDIA CONTACTS (participated/responded)		
❖ COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
❖ OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES (not already reported)		
January	Newcastle Refinery: Coordinated with ATSDR to distribute Public Health Assessment	Coordinated

FEDERAL FACILITIES

❖ COMMUNITY RELATIONS PLANS/REVISIONS (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
March	Wyoming Air National Guard Community Involvement Plan update	Reviewed
❖ PUBLIC MEETINGS/HEARINGS/STAKEHOLDER MEETINGS (arranged/attended/participated/facilitated) <i>[formal, informal, small groups, etc. – doesn't include community interviews, RABs or SSABs listed in a separate category]</i>		
January-March	Rocky Flats: Rocky Flats Stewardship Council meetings	Attended
January-March	Rocky Flats: DOE Adaptive Management Plan meetings	Attended
January-March	Buckley AFB Public Information Office meetings	Participated
❖ FACT SHEETS/PROPOSED PLANS (wrote/reviewed/updated)		
March	Air Force PJKS Site: Proposed plan for groundwater remedy	Reviewed/ commented
❖ PRESS RELEASES/PUBLIC NOTICES (wrote/reviewed)		
❖ PRESS CONFERENCES/INTERVIEWS (arranged/attended/participated)		
❖ MEDIA CONTACTS (participated/responded)		

❖ RAB/SSAB COMMUNITY ADVISORY GROUPS Attended		
(1) New Site & Date Started		
March 16	Atlas 4 Missile Silo: CAG meeting to establish RAB	Participated
(2) Disbanded Site & Date Disbanded		
(3) Site RAB Meetings Attended		
March	Pueblo Chemical Depot: Citizens Advisory Commission meeting	Participated
March	Buckley AFB: CAG meeting	Attended
February	FE Warren: CAG meeting	Attended
February	Rocky Mountain Arsenal: RAB meeting	Attended

❖ COMMUNICATION STRATEGIES (wrote/reviewed/updated)		

❖ OTHER SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES (not already reported)		
January-March	Rocky Mountain Arsenal: site video outline and text	Wrote/ reviewed

SPECIAL PROJECTS

January-March	National CIC Conference Planning Committee	Participated
January-March	Superfund Hispanic Outreach Committee	Participated
January-March	Community Engagement Initiative Committee	Participated
January	National CI Toolkit revisions	Wrote/reviewed
February	CIC applicant interviews	Arranged/conducted
March	Community Involvement at Superfund Sites Webinar	Participated
March	Color coding sample results pilot program meeting	Participated
March	MS 2007 Training	Participated
January	HRS Revision/Vapor Intrusion Conference Call	Participated
January	Assemble congressional briefing book updates	Wrote/ facilitated
January-Feb.	Information Repository Work Group	Participated/reviewed
February-March	OCPI video	Participated, planned
January	Federal Peace Corps Event	Participated
February/March	Dioxin PRG Communication Strategy Work Group	Participated/wrote
January-March	Regional Public Liaison (Ongoing) responses to citizen concerns	Coordinated/wrote
February	CPR Training	Attended
January-March	(Ongoing) revisions to Superfund site web pages	Facilitated/coordinated/wrote